



PATENT APPLICATION

U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

May 25, 2006

Applicants : Kenji KURISU et al
For : CELLULAR RUBBER MATERIAL AND
PRODUCTION PROCESS THEREFOR
Serial No. : 10/679 526 Group: 1711
Confirmation No.: 3970
Filed : October 6, 2003 Examiner: Zemel
Atty. Docket No.: Furuta 39
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER
TO THE BOARD OF APPEALS**

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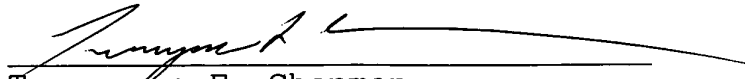
Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals from the decision mailed November 29, 2005 of the Primary Examiner finally rejecting Claims 16-22.

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[X] \$500.00 (large entity).

[] \$250.00 (small entity).

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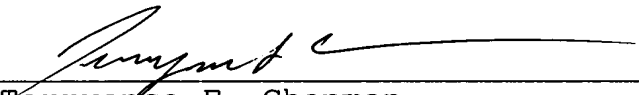
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